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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 USC 371

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In response to the Notice of Missing Requirements mailed April 14, 2006, Applicants submit the attached 1) Declaration executed by the inventors in the referenced application; 2) executed Power of Attorney; and 3) copy of the Notice of Missing Requirements.

The \$130.00 surcharge for late filing of the Oath was originally paid at the time of the Rule 371 Submission. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any over payment deemed associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 13-0010 (LSP-1012US).

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 07/06/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 07/06/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 07/06/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 07/06/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 07/06/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 07/06/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 07/06/2005

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

 Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

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